

**CITY OF MILPITAS
YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION
455 E. CALAVERAS BLVD. CITY HALL COMMITTEE ROOM
Thursday, May 12, 2005, 7:00 p.m.**

A G E N D A

- A. ROLL CALL:** Joseph Hall, Lindsey Munzel, Justin Nguyen, Aditya Ullal, Van La, Charlotte Beard, Jay Kumar, Danielle Yee and Khullat Munir

ALTERNATES: Kumuda Rao

B. SEATING OF ALTERNATES

C. FLAG SALUTE

D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Thursday, April 14, 2005

E. CITIZEN'S FORUM:

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F. ANNOUNCEMENTS/CORRESPONDENCE

G. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

H. OLD BUSINESS

1. Alcohol Awareness Bookmark
2. Teen Hotline
3. 4th of July Parade Entry
4. Teen Center Spring Break Activities

I. NEW BUSINESS

1. Rock the Beat

J. OTHER BUSINESS

1. City Council Liaison Report
2. Staff Report
3. Future Agenda Items

K. ADJOURNMENT

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H. OLD BUSINESS

1. Alcohol Awareness Bookmark

Background: At the April 14, 2005 meeting, the subcommittee provided the layout for the bookmark to City staff. Staff would revise the bookmark and present printed copies at the May 12 meeting.

Recommendation: Present the bookmark to the Youth Advisory Commission and form a plan of distribution.

2. Teen Hotline

Background: At the April 14, 2005 meeting, the Commission decided to bring this item back at the May meeting to see when the next training was going to be available. The Commission would then decide if the project was feasible this term or if they would postpone it until the next Commission began in October.

Recommendation: Decide if they would like to move forward with the project this term or postpone to next term.

3. 4th of July Parade Entry

Background: At the March Commission meeting, Commissioner La requested that this item be agendaized for the April 14, 2005 meeting. The City of Milpitas will be hosting the 4th of July Parade on Main Street from Curtis Avenue to Carlo Street on Monday, July 4, 2005, starting at 11:00am. In previous years, this event has attracted over 2,000 parade participants and spectators. Commissioner La believed that this would be a great way to promote the Youth Advisory Commission and the Milpitas Teen Center. After some discussion, a motion was made to form a sub-committee consisting of the following: Van La as the Chair, Aditya Ullal, Khullat Munir and Joseph Hall. The sub-committee would work on the parade entry and help promote both the Teen Center and the Youth Advisory Commission and would report at the May 12, 2005 meeting.

Recommendation: Have the sub-committee update the Youth Advisory Commission on the 4th of July Parade, if they want the commission to be an entry, what they will be doing the day of the event, etc.

4. Teen Center Spring Break Activities Update

Background: As one of the commission goals to be more involved with the Teen Center, below is the list of activities taking place at the Teen Center during the week of April 15-22. The commission was asked to volunteer their time to assist with the activities. At the April 14, 2005 meeting, Chair Hall requested that staff bring back an update of the spring activity events.

Recommendation: Have Program Coordinator Samu Tiumalu give the Youth Advisory Commission an update of the activities that were held during Spring Break.

I. NEW BUSINESS

1. Rock the Beat

Background: At the April 14, 2005 meeting, Program Coordinator Samu Tiumalu stated that the Annual “Rock the Beat” event has been postponed, due to a huge break dancing competition taking place during the same time that the event is usually held. He also stated that this event would be held by the Teen Center and that the Youth Advisory Commission could help. At the April meeting it was asked to have this item agendized so the Youth Advisory Commission could help pick a date that would work so they could help with the function.

Recommendation: Have the Youth Advisory Commission discuss possible ways they can help at the event.